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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Sallie M.
4 Hale, who passed away on September 23, 2016; and

5 WHEREAS, Sallie Hale was born on November 20, 1932 in
6 Starksville, Mississippi; her parents were Carrie Lee Mullins
7 and Roland Hale; she met and married Willie Pearson, Sr. in
8 1952 in Starksville, Mississippi; and

9 WHEREAS, Sallie Hale and her husband moved to Chicago in
10 1955; she retired from Automatic Electric in Northlake after
11 many years of service; and

12 WHEREAS, Sallie Hale was a member of Alpha Baptist Church
13 in Maywood and served on the Mothers Board; she enjoyed sports,
14 particularly her Chicago teams; she also enjoyed cooking,
15 growing flowers, putting up Christmas decorations, and
16 spending time with her family; and

17 WHEREAS, Sallie Hale was preceded in death by her parents;
18 her son, Willie Jr.; and her sister, Annie Kate Williams; and

19 WHEREAS, Sallie Hale is survived by her husband of 64
20 years, Willie Pearson, Sr.; her children, Kathye Kelley, Wanda

1 (Gerald) Hill, Pamela (David) Albert, and Carmen Pearson; her
2 daughter-in-law, Ora Pearson; her grandchildren, Tania
3 Pearson, Charles Kelley, Jr. (Amy), Korey (Tiffany) Kelley, and
4 Steven C. Mann; her sister, Queen E. Colbert; her brother,
5 Billy Ray (Vanessa) Samuels; her great-grandchildren, Quentin,
6 Serenity, Laila, Avery, and Malia; her godchildren, Barbara
7 Lightford, Jerry Sorrell, Carla Johnson, and Carlton Reives;
8 her best friend, Rosemary Walker; many nieces, nephews,
9 cousins, and friends; and her great-granddog Coco; therefore,
10 be it

11 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
12 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
13 we, along with her family and friends, mourn the passing of
14 Sallie M. Hale; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
16 presented to the family of Sallie Hale as an expression of our
17 sympathy.